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Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/1997/40 of 10 January 1997 and S/1997/40/Add.10 of 21 March 1997.

During the week ending 19 April 1997, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation in Afghanistan (see S/1994/20/Add.3, 11, 31 and 47; and S/1996/15/Add.6, 14, 38, 41 and 42; see also S/19420/Add.44; S/20370/Add.14-16; and S/21100/Add.1)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3765th meeting, held on 14 April 1997 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations. There were two suspensions and two resumptions of the meeting, on 15 and 16 April 1997.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Afghanistan, Germany, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Italy, the Netherlands, Pakistan, Tajikistan and Turkey, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

At the same meeting, in response to the request contained in a letter dated 11 April 1997 from the Permanent Representative of Indonesia to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1997/305), the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Engin A. Ansay, Permanent Observer of the Organization of the Islamic Conference to the United Nations.

The Council continued its consideration of the item at its 3766th meeting, held on 16 April 1997.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/1997/20; to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-second Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1997).

The situation in Angola (see S/25070/Add.4, 10, 17, 22, 23, 28, 37, 44 and 50; S/1994/20/Add.5, 10, 21, 25, 31, 35, 38, 42, 43 and 48; S/1995/40/Add.5, 9, 14, 18, 31, 40 and 50; S/1996/15/Add.5, 16, 18, 27, 40 and 49; and S/1997/40/Add.4, 8, 11 and 12; see also S/19420/Add.51; S/22110/Add.21; and S/23370/Add.12, 27, 37, 40, 43, 48 and 51)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3767th meeting, held on 16 April 1997 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Angola Verification Mission (UNAVEM III) (S/1997/304).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Angola, Argentina, Brazil, Cameroon, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, the Netherlands, Peru, Qatar, South Africa, Uruguay and Zimbabwe, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1997/316) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council continued its consideration of the item at its 3769th meeting, held on 16 April 1997.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Botswana, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1997/316 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1106 (1997) (for the text, see S/RES/1106 (1997); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-second Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1997).

The situation between Iraq and Kuwait (see S/21100/Add.30-33, 36-38, 42, 43 and 47; S/22110/Add.6-9, 13, 14, 17, 20, 24, 25, 32, 37 and 40; S/23370/Add.8, 11, 28, 34 and 39; S/25070/Add.1, 2, 5, 21, 24 and Corr.1, 26 and 47; S/1994/20/Add.8, 39-41 and 45; S/1995/40/Add.14; and S/1996/15/Add.11, 12, 23 and 33; see also S/23370/Add.10, 32, 35 and 47)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3768th meeting, held on 16 April 1997 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/1997/21; to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-second Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1997).